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**PATENT** 010500

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In re application of:

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TITLE: Polythiophenes, Block

Copolymers Made Therefrom, and

Methods of Forming the Same

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Pittsburgh, PA 15222 December 6, 2002

Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action for the above-referenced application mailed October 23, 2002, having a shortened statutory period set to expire January 23, 2003. Please amend the application captioned above as follows:

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